

AN EPITOME OF LATE LIVE NEWS

CONDENSED RECORD OF THE
PROGRESS OF EVENTS AT
HOME AND ABROAD.

FROM ALL SOURCES

SAVINGS, DOINGS, ACHIEVEMENTS, SUFFERINGS, HOPES
AND FEARS OF MANKIND.

Western Newspaper Union News Service.

ABOUT THE WAR

Polish legion under Polish national flag, joins in fighting Germans.

Italians have gained a victory at Nervosa, on the west bank of the Piave.

British casualties reported during the week ending June 21 aggregated 36,620.

Looting of American consulate at Tabriz by Turks may lead to declaration of war.

German attacks upon French lines near Rheims proved immediate and disastrous failure.

A new move for a war declaration against Turkey and Bulgaria has developed in Congress.

The arrival of allied air fighters to assist the Italians heartened the Italian force, much wearied after six days of heroic work.

The barrier the Italians and their allies have raised along the great battle arc from the Asiago plateau to the sea remains insuperable to the Austrians.

The American forces northwest of Chateau-Thierry further straightened their line by a series of small but brilliantly executed attacks on the north side of Belleau wood.

A large part of the Austrian army has been cornered between the flooded Piave and the advancing Italian troops in the Montello, the British war office report stated.

The first American aviators to fly on the Italian front went on a bombing expedition and succeeded in blowing two holes in a new Austrian bridge across the Piave river.

The Austrian losses in their offensive on the Italian front exceed 120,000 men, according to a dispatch to Paris La Liberte from Rome, quoting the correspondent of the Corriere de Italia.

Italian forces continued their counter offensive on the Piave river front Friday in the region of Fagare and Zenson and gained further ground from the Austro-Hungarians, the Italian war office announced.

Berlin officially claims that German troops have penetrated the American trenches at Selcheprey. The falsity of this report is shown by a dispatch from the American front which says that the "penetration" was only an attempted raid by sixty Germans.

West of Montdidier American troops in a short and desperate engagement have cleaned out German trenches and machine gun nests at Cantigny. Most of the Germans who remained to fight the Americans were killed, while a number were made prisoner.

Except for the Italian theater, little fighting was in progress Friday. Southwest of Soissons, near Faverolles, and a little further south, near Hautveignes, the French, in more of their daily attacks, have bettered their positions and taken prisoners from the Germans. In the regions of Arras and Albert, the British likewise have made gains and also repulsed German attacks near Merris on the Flanders front.

WESTERN

Nine persons were injured, two probably fatally, by barbed wire dangling from an aeroplane in flight at Hicks field at Fort Worth, Tex.

The will of Charles Warren Fairbanks, admitted to probate at Indianapolis, Ind., disposes of an estate of \$3,000,000 in real estate and \$150,000 personal property.

Harry Wheeler, former sheriff of Cochise county; John C. Greenway and William H. Brophy were among those indicted by the federal grand jury recently at Tucson, Ariz., in connection with the Bisbee deportations last July. It was announced by United States Attorney Flynn. The three named are in France.

The final episode in the trial of Grace Lusk, convicted of the murder of Mrs. Mary Newman Roberts, wife of Dr. David Roberts, former Wisconsin state veterinarian, was enacted at Waukesha, Wis., when Judge Martin Laeck sentenced the former schoolmistress to nineteen years' imprisonment at hard labor in the Wisconsin state penitentiary at Waupun.

WASHINGTON

More than 500,000 Slaves, until now considered enemy aliens, will be fighting against the central empires within a year as a result of the President's recognition of a Jugo-Slav legion.

A credit of \$15,790,000 to Greece, the first under the new financial agreement between that country and the United States, was announced by the Treasury Department.

Germany has agreed "in principle" to a conference with American delegates over exchange, maintenance and welfare of prisoners.

FOREIGN

A dispute has arisen between Turkey and Germany over possession of the Russian Black sea fleet.

Strikes following the recent bread riots are spreading throughout the Vienna district, according to dispatches received by way of Zurich.

Signor Baracca, considered Italy's premier aviator, is missing. His machine fell inside the hostile lines after it had caught fire during a fight.

Philip Edward Morrell, Liberal, representing a small pacifist group in the House of Commons, started a debate on the question of peace by agreement.

Austria's grave food situation, coupled with the apparent failure of the new offensive against Italy, is exciting pessimistic comment in the Vienna press.

The execution at military headquarters at Tientsin of Gen. Hu Chien-Chang because of monarchist propaganda among his troops, is confirmed by a presidential mandate issued at Peking.

Four residents of Berlin attempted to escape from Germany in two aeroplanes. One succeeded in landing in Denmark, but the other was brought down in the Baltic sea by German guardships.

In many provinces of Hungary there is only one-third or one-quarter the food necessary to maintain the population in health, former Premier Pilsa declared in a speech to the Hungarian Parliament.

The transport Sant'anna, proceeding from Biserta for Malta, was torpedoed and sunk on the night of May 10-11, according to the Havas agency. There were on board 2,150 soldiers and native workmen, of whom 1,512 were saved.

More than 100,000 persons have gone on strike in the Volcan arsenal and the Warschalowski airplane works in Vienna, according to a dispatch from Zurich to the Exchange Telegraph. The dispatch adds that riots have occurred at Favoriten, Margarethen, Ottakring and Brigittenau, suburbs of Vienna.

The food situation and the war weariness of the people within the dual monarchy again are making trouble for the authorities. Troublesome times also seemingly are in store for the German government owing to the lack of bread. In Vienna mobs are reported to have raided bakeries and stoned the residence of the premier and even to have attacked one of the wings of the imperial palace. Troops had to be called out to restore order.

SPORT

Hubert (Dutch) Leonard, pitcher for the Boston American league baseball team, was placed in class one by the Fresno, Cal., city board.

Marty O'Toole and Billy Kelly, the battery for whom Barney Dreyfuss paid \$25,000 several years ago, are now members of the Omaha team.

New regulations issued to draft boards by Provost Marshal General Crowder to govern application of the work or fight order do not rule specifically upon the status of professional baseball players or other classes which may be affected, but emphasize the section of the order placing games and sports among the occupations classed as nonuseful.

GENERAL

According to reports made to the emergency fleet corporation at least sixty-three ships will be launched on the Fourth of July.

Deliveries of steel ships to the shipping board in the first two weeks of June numbered sixteen, with a total dead-weight tonnage of 89,162.

Confidential information received by the Navy Department in the British admiralty's "pink book" shows that such progress is being made by the allied navies in combatting the U-boat as to score practically a submarine sunk for every new one turned out of German shipyards.

The sundry civil bill, carrying \$1,761,741,000 for the ship building program; \$50,000,000 for the President's emergency war fund, and \$1,250,000 for the committee on public information, was passed by the House.

Tentative plans for the fourth Liberty Loan as indicated by the treasury are: Amount at least \$6,000,000,000; Interest rate 4 1/4 percent. Campaigns to open early in October. Demonstration of bonds same as the third loan.

Postal inspectors arrested a number of traveling agents of the Western Union Telegraph Company on trains between Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington and seized suitcases they were carrying filled with messages filed for transmission by telegraph.

A woman known at Trinidad as Mrs. Frank J. Vanders, and who, with a man giving the name of Frank Thomas, was arrested at Raton, N. M., in connection with the death of Joe Marino, a pawnbroker, in Kansas City, Mo., May 24 last, was identified as Mattie Howard, who engaged the room in the Kansas City apartment house where Marino's body was found.

Big American air and sea planes should be flying across the Atlantic to reach the front by next summer, Maj. Gen. W. Branner of the British air ministry said in a formal statement to the press. He is in Washington to co-operate with American aircraft officials.

What is claimed to be the world's record production of marketable potatoes on one acre, 49,531 pounds, or 228 bushels, has been made on an acre tract of land near Kanab, in the southeastern section of Utah, just a few miles from the Arizona state line.

NEW MEXICO STATE NEWS

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COMING EVENTS.

June 21-25—State Press Association meeting at Albuquerque.
June 24-29—Patriotic Food Show at Albuquerque.
July 4-6—Cowboys' Reunion at Las Vegas.
Aug. 7-11—Round-up and Sports Carnival at Magdalena.
October—Annual meeting New Mexico Public Health Association.

Roswell gets the 1919 Omark Trail convention.
Fire destroyed about 1,000 cords of wood at Willard.

It is stated that Senator A. B. Fall will be a candidate for re-election.

A Bean Growers' Association was formed at a meeting in Albuquerque. The Twin Buttes Oil Company has its test well in Otero county down over 900 feet.

Fred Melton, a young blacksmith, was drowned at Clovis in the Santa Fe supply tank.

The new Salvation Army building at Camp Cody, Deming, has been completed and opened.

The New Mexico State Press Association will hold its annual meeting at Albuquerque, June 24-25.

The summer school term of the New Mexico Normal opened at Silver City with an enrollment of 280.

Arrangements are being made to build a concrete dam across the river at Tularosa for irrigating purposes.

Preparations are well under way for the big Round-Up and Contest of Western Sports to be held at Magdalena, August 7 to 11.

Enrique Hernandez of Blosburg was burned to death at Raton when the house in which he was living caught fire and burned.

Mrs. Eulogia Chavez, 102 years old, died at her home in Albuquerque. Senility was the cause of death. As far as is known Mrs. Chavez was the oldest woman in the state.

Bernalillo county's tax valuation will be increased by about \$1,000,000 for 1918, according to a preliminary statement made by Assessor Stephen E. Roehl to the State Tax Commission.

Because of the need of beef for Uncle Sam's fighting men in France and the soldiers of his allies, Socorro will not have a barbecue on the Fourth of July. Instead the town will have a watermelon feast.

The city council of Roswell at its regular monthly meeting passed an ordinance requiring every male inhabitant of the city between the age of 15 and 55 years, except students in schools, to engage at once in some useful occupation. The penalty for idlers will be a fine of from \$10 to \$100 or confinement in the county jail for not more than ninety days, or both.

The second registration during the war, which occurred June 5, has enrolled 1,314 men in twenty-three counties, as follows: Bernalillo, 131; Chavez, 83; Colfax, 109; Curry, 58; De Baca, 11; Dona Ana, 31; Eddy, 32; Lincoln, 38; Luna, 37; Mora, 95; Otero, 62; Rio Arriba, 120; San Miguel, 100; Torrance, 48; Union, 44; Guadalupe, 16; Quay, 46; Roosevelt, 26; San Juan, 24; Taos, 42; Valencia, 33; Sandoval, 18; Santa Fe, 60.

New Mexico's cowmen who now are walking the deck of a warship, kicking up dust on the parade ground of a training camp or hurling lead and steel at the Hun are to be honored at the fourth annual Cowboys' reunion, to be held at Las Vegas, July 3, 4 and 5.

A monster service flag, bearing stars for all the cattle handlers in New Mexico who have gone into the army or the navy is to be unfurled to the breeze and dedicated on the afternoon of Independence Day.

Cut worms damaged the 100 acres of beans on the C. E. Anderson farm near Roy so badly that replanting was necessary.

The thirty-fifth annual encampment of the New Mexico department of the Grand Army of the Republic at Albuquerque, ended with the election of John W. Terry of Las Vegas, department commander; S. W. Sherfy of Las Cruces, senior vice commander; O. L. Gregory of Las Vegas, junior vice commander; John Greenwald of Socorro, assistant adjutant general and assistant quartermaster general; S. K. Sydes of Las Vegas, chaplain, and E. S. Stover, medical director.

Two incendiary fires were discovered at Las Vegas, one destroying a drug store, the other damaging a tailor shop. Firemen fighting the flames discovered what is believed to be an infernal machine. The machine, which resembles a bomb, was fashioned from a tin box to which a cap and fuse had been attached. The "fire-bug" used highly inflammable oil combined with some mysterious explosive, the combination forming a blaze which spread rapidly and rendered the firemen almost helpless.

The Sheep Sanitary Board has promulgated an order instructing all sheep growers of New Mexico that after July 1 all sheep which may enter the state after that date must be delivered at dipping plants and dipped under the supervision of a state or federal inspector.

Deposits in state banks have increased nearly \$5,000,000 in the last year. The exact figure is \$2,941,366.93, as given in a condensed statement by State Bank Examiner George H. Van Stone for a period from May 1, 1917, to May 10, 1918.

AUSTRIANS FALL BACK PELL-MELL

ITALIANS FORCE FOE TO RETREAT IN DISORDER FROM
ALPS TO THE SEA.

DRIVE COSTLY FAILURE

FOOD SHORTAGE SPREADS IN
DUAL MONARCHY—CAUSES
WORKERS' RIOTS.

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Rome, June 24.—The first phase of the Austrian offensive has ended in failure, in defeat. The culmination of what was intended to be the crushing of Italy between the jaws of the Austrian pincers is rout of the invaders.

With their backs to the swollen Piave, the Austrians for several days past had been trying to ward off the vicious counter attacks of the Italians and save the situation. Now they are endeavoring, and still under great pressure, to ford the stream and reach safety on the eastern bank.

From the Montello plateau to the Adriatic sea the enemy is in retreat. Already his losses are estimated at 180,000 men and the chances of his escape without additional heavy casualties and men made prisoner seem remote.

Large numbers of the pontoon bridges that the Austrians threw across the Piave have been swept away by the now torrential stream, and on all the sectors of the thirty-three-mile front, where they gained edges of the Venetian plain, they are being sorely harassed by the fire of the Italian guns and rifles and by the machine guns and bombs of the allied aviators, who have done such notable execution since the attempted drive was started.

Undoubtedly the Austrian high command had built largely for success on the belief that the Italian morale had been shattered. The first onslaught the enemy met a rejuvenated army which fought gallantly, never ceding an inch unless it was dearly paid for. Aiding the Italians in the mountains were British and French armies. Territory taken in the mountains was almost as quickly regained and the enemy held in check.

Large numbers of the enemy have been reported recently as coming up behind the northern line in the mountain region, and it is not improbable that shortly the second phase of the battle will begin. Complete confidence is felt in the Italian and other allied commands, however, that the enemy will meet foemen of superior quality and that his efforts will go for naught.

On the battle fronts in France and Flanders the Germans are holding their men to the trenches, except for small attacks here and there. There is no indication that for the present it is their intention to launch another big offensive. Both the British and French have carried out successfully several minor operations and repulsed all the enemy's maneuvers. Near Bilgny, in the Marne region, the Germans succeeded in gaining footing in a trench, but an Italian contingent immediately ejected them.

The serious food shortage in Austria-Hungary has given rise to sensational rumors. There is little doubt conditions in Austria are near a crisis. Little of the true status of affairs can be learned, but what little news filters through neutral countries shows the Austrian people on short rations, that serious rioting has occurred and that general strikes are feared.

TRAIN WRECK KILLS 60

Injures 129 When Pullman Troop
Coaches Plough Through Light
Cars on Indiana Switch.

Gary, Ind., June 24.—The known death list in the collision between an equipment train and a Wallace-Hagenbeck circus train was increased to at least sixty with the recovery of eight additional bodies and the death of one of the circus troupe at a Gary hospital. In addition to the known dead, 129 are in hospitals in Gary and Hammond. The rear-end collision occurred at dawn Saturday between an empty troop train of Pullman cars and a Wallace-Hagenbeck circus train on the Michigan Central railroad, five miles west of Gary. Virtually all victims were members of the circus. Thirty-eight bodies, all except one charred beyond recognition, were placed in Gary undertaking establishments. Twenty-two bodies have been taken to Hammond.

Yankees in France Total 900,000. Washington.—Definite word from Rome of the report of the failure of the Austrian drive in Italy, coupled with the announcement of General March, chief of staff, that American troop movements to France had now exceeded 900,000, added to the growing cheerfulness that has been apparent at the War Department recently. General March told the newspaper men in his weekly conference that with the 900,000 mark passed, the United States is five months ahead of its schedule for troop movements.

WESTERN MINING AND OIL NEWS

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Prices for Metals.

New York.—Lead—\$7.82 1/2.
Copper—\$23.12 1/2.
Bar silver—99 1/2.
London.—Bar silver, 48 1/2 d per ounce.
St. Louis.—Spelter, \$8.10@8.30.
Boulder, Colo.—Tungsten concentrates, 60 per cent, \$20.00@22.50 per unit; crude ore, 50 per cent, \$22.00@25.00; 25 per cent, \$12.00@12.50; 10 per cent, \$9.40@12.20.

Arizona.

The silver claims at the end of the Old Hackberry at Kingman have been leased.

Steel people have taken under option several manganese properties near Topeka.

The Patagonia district is returning to its own. Almost all of the old mines are working.

Shipping will soon commence from the Pochontas mine at Prescott. The property is equipped with three compressors and two hoists.

Phelps-Dodge Corporation has declared an extra dividend of \$3.50 a share, in addition to the regular quarterly dividend of \$2.50 a share.

Colorado.

Heavy shipments from the Portland mill at Victor were made by the company's melt house at Colorado Springs.

The Caledonian Mining and Milling Company, operating in Mining gulch, near Silverton, and formerly known as the Peerless San Juan, is making ready for a most active season's work.

The Jerry Johnson mine, on Iron-clad hill, Cripple Creek, is the scene of a promising ore strike. It was made by Lessee Green, who has opened up a new ore shoot that is shipping at between \$25 and \$30 to the ton.

In the Golden Eagle group, near Salina, Boulder county, the ore is a telluride, carrying gold and silver, with quartz carrying values in a sort of tale. This is regarded as smelting ore, but responds to cyanide treatment when roasted.

Central City, reports that the Homer mine, located on Central City hill, has entered the list of dividend payers. A recent shipment of the Argo mill gave returns of 2.07 ounces gold, 6 ounces silver and 12.70 per cent dry copper to the ton.

The precise effect of the advance in railroad freight rates, effective June 25, will differ with the several localities. Where concentrates are shipped rather than crude ore the difference per ton will be small. The change emphasizes the value of home treatment for low and medium grade ores.

Montana.

Butte and Superior reports an output of 6,850,000 pounds of zinc for May; ore mined, 49,500 tons; mill recovery, 91 per cent.

The total domestic copper production in May, as indicated by returns of the leading companies, increased approximately 10,000,000 pounds over the preceding month.

With an output of 749,733 pounds of copper in May, Davis-Daly is continuing the high production pace it set in the first quarter of this year. Last month's output was 80,000 pounds greater than April and brings total production to June 1 up to 4,107,249 pounds. Silver production last month amounted to 35,298 ounces, bringing the total silver output thus far this year up to 226,000 ounces.

New Mexico.

Incorporation papers were filed by the Las Huertas Gold Mining Company of New Mexico with office at Albuquerque. Capital stock, \$150,000.

The Twin Buttes Oil and Gas Company, of Otero county, is now down over 900 feet with its test well, and has already found considerable oil.

The work of transforming the Stevens manganese property on Boston Hill into a mine shipping ore has been carried on with such speed that carload shipments have been going forward.

Wyoming.

Imperial Oil Company of Camden, which is closely affiliated with the Midwest Refining Company of Wyoming, has declared a dividend of \$5 a share, payable in Dominion government bonds.

Wyokans Oil Company, drilling for the Monarch Salt Creek Company, on sec. 28-40-79, West Salt Creek field, reported an oil strike in the fourth well, jointly owned by these two companies on this section.

American Oil Company reported bringing in a well in the Greyblud district.
Well No. 2 of the Salt Creek Petroleum Company, drilled by the Ohio Oil Company on the southeast quarter of section 21-40-79, West Salt Creek field, is completed and ready for the pipe line.
Boston-Wyoming Oil Company has four wells drilling in the Salt Creek district. Two holes are being drilled on the company's account. The others for the joint interests by the Ohio Oil Company.

JUDGE DECIDES STOMACH REMEDY A GREAT SUCCESS

Commissioner of Medication and Conciliation Board Tries EATON'S, the
Wonderful Stomach Remedy,
and Endorses It.

Judge William L. Chambers, who uses EATON'S as a remedy for loss of appetite and indigestion, is a Commissioner of the U. S. Board of Medication and Conciliation. It is natural for him to express himself in such language, yet there is no bias in his pronouncement regarding the value of EATON'S. Written from Washington, D. C., to the Eaton's Remedy Co., he says:

"EATON'S promotes appetite and aids digestion. I have used it with beneficial results."

Office workers and others who are much affected by dyspepsia, belching, bad breath, heartburn, poor appetite, bloating, and impairment of general health. Are you, yourself, a sufferer? EATON'S will relieve you just as surely as it has benefited Judge Chambers and thousands of others.

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HUMORS OF RENT COLLECTING

Seeming Proof That Stern Gatherer of
Landlord's Tribute May Be
Human, After All.

A Bostonian, owning houses in a neighboring city, received the following stately letter from the collector of rents. We publish it to show that a collector may be inexorable, yet have a vein of humor in his iron constitution. The letter was written in January:

"The soil-pipe, water pipes and other apparatus in the cellar of the old homestead are in their usual hibernated state—frozen stiff; so Lemuel reports, and adds that he offered to contribute to Bill a ton of coal for the furnace to generate a little warmth and partially overcome the deadly, gravelike chill of that subterranean space; and Bill tells me that Lemuel is a cheerful liar, and made no such offer, and so I tell both what the other says, and leave them to fight it out, impressing on them, however, that the rent must be forthcoming just the same."

No Eats in Heaven.

Eugene, aged five, having been on a strict diet for a week, asked one night after getting in bed: "Mother, do they have places where you can get things to eat in heaven?"

She shook her head. "No, Eugene, there are no restaurants in heaven; people do not have to eat there."

"Not even milk toast?"

"No," she answered.

Drawing a long sigh, Eugene said: "I hope I don't have to die tonight—I'd hate to go to heaven as hungry as I am."

Compromising with sin only retards virtue.

Put Into Practice

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the use of foods re-
quiring less sugar,
less fuel, and the
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No FUEL, less milk
or cream than
other cereals, and
is part BARLEY.
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nomical and deli-
cious food. TRY IT!